

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF PUERTO RICO**

In re:

THE FINANCIAL OVERSIGHT AND
MANAGEMENT BOARD FOR PUERTO RICO,

as representative of

THE COMMONWEALTH OF PUERTO RICO, THE
EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM OF THE
GOVERNMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF
PUERTO RICO, AND THE PUERTO RICO PUBLIC
BUILDINGS AUTHORITY,

Debtors.¹

PROMESA

Title III

No. 17 BK 3283-LTS

(Jointly Administered)

**NOTICE OF (A) ENTRY OF ORDER CONFIRMING
MODIFIED EIGHTH AMENDED TITLE III PLAN OF ADJUSTMENT OF
THE COMMONWEALTH OF PUERTO RICO, ET AL. PURSUANT TO
TITLE III OF PROMESA AND (B) OCCURRENCE OF THE EFFECTIVE DATE**

TO CREDITORS AND OTHER PARTIES IN INTEREST:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that, pursuant to an order, dated January 18, 2022 [ECF No. 19813] (the “Confirmation Order”), the *Modified Eighth Amended Title III Plan of Adjustment of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, et al.*, dated January 14, 2022 [ECF No. 19784] (as amended, supplemented, or modified, the “Plan”), was confirmed by the United States District Court for the District of Puerto Rico (the “Court”). Unless otherwise defined in this Notice, capitalized terms used herein shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Plan and the Confirmation Order.

¹ The Debtors in these Title III Cases, along with each Debtor’s respective Title III case number and the last four (4) digits of each Debtor’s federal tax identification number, as applicable, are the (i) Commonwealth of Puerto Rico (Bankruptcy Case No. 17-BK-3283- LTS) (Last Four Digits of Federal Tax ID: 3481); (ii) Puerto Rico Sales Tax Financing Corporation (“COFINA”) (Bankruptcy Case No. 17-BK-3284-LTS) (Last Four Digits of Federal Tax ID: 8474); (iii) Puerto Rico Highways and Transportation Authority (“HTA”) (Bankruptcy Case No. 17-BK-3567-LTS) (Last Four Digits of Federal Tax ID: 3808); (iv) Employees Retirement System of the Government of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico (“ERS”) (Bankruptcy Case No. 17-BK-3566-LTS) (Last Four Digits of Federal Tax ID: 9686); (v) Puerto Rico Electric Power Authority (“PREPA”) (Bankruptcy Case No. 17- BK-4780-LTS) (Last Four Digits of Federal Tax ID: 3747); and (vi) Puerto Rico Public Buildings Authority (“PBA”) (Bankruptcy Case No. 19-BK-5523-LTS) (Last Four Digits of Federal Tax ID: 3801) (Title III case numbers are listed as Bankruptcy Case numbers due to software limitations).

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the Effective Date of the Plan occurred on March 15, 2022 and the Plan was substantially consummated.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that any party in interest wishing to obtain copies of the Confirmation Order, the Plan, and related documents should contact Prime Clerk LLC, by telephone at (844) 822-9231 (toll free for U.S. and Puerto Rico) or (646) 486-7944 (for international callers), available 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. (Atlantic Standard Time) (Spanish available), or by email at puertoricoinfo@primeclerk.com, or may view such documents by accessing either <https://cases.primeclerk.com/puertorico/> or the Court's website, <https://www.prd.uscourts.gov/>. Please note that a Public Access to Court Electronic Records ("PACER") (<http://www.pacer.psc.uscourts.gov>) password and login are needed to access documents on the Court's website.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that, pursuant to Section 1.51 and Article III of the Plan and decretal paragraph 44 of the Confirmation Order, the deadline for filing proofs of or requests for payment of Administrative Expense Claims ("Administrative Expense Requests") is **June 13, 2022**; provided, however, that no proof of Administrative Expense Claim shall be required to be filed if such Administrative Expense Claim (a) shall have been incurred (i) in accordance with an order of the Court or (ii) with the written consent of the applicable Government Parties expressly granting such Administrative Expense Claim, (b) is a Professional Claim, (c) is an intergovernmental Claim, (d) is an Administrative Expense Claim of the IRS for the payment of taxes incurred by any of the Debtors during the period from and after the Commonwealth Petition Date, the ERS Petition Date or the PBA Petition Date, as applicable, (e) relates to actions occurring in the ordinary course during the period from and after the respective Debtor's petition date up to and including the Effective Date, (f) relates to a Claim that is subject to the provisions of the ACR Order, including, without limitation, "grievance claims" relating to any of the Debtor's collective bargaining agreements, or (g) is the subject of a pending motion seeking allowance of any administrative expense pursuant to Bankruptcy Code section 503(b) as of the entry of the Confirmation Order; and, provided, further, that any such proof of Administrative Expense Claim by a governmental unit shall remain subject to the rights and interests of the Debtors and Reorganized Debtors, as the case may be, and any other party in interest to interpose an objection or other defense to the allowance or payment thereof.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that, all Administrative Expense Requests should be filed through any of the following methods:

- (i) completing the electronic Proof of Claim on the Claims Agent's website at <https://cases.primeclerk.com/puertorico/EPOC-Index>,
- (ii) if delivered by first class mail, hand delivery, or overnight courier, at the following address: Commonwealth of Puerto Rico Claims Processing Center, c/o Prime Clerk LLC, 850 Third Avenue, Suite 412, Brooklyn, NY 11232.

Administrative Expense Requests will be deemed timely filed only if **actually received** by Prime Clerk by **5:00 p.m. (prevailing Atlantic Time) on June 13, 2022** (the "Administrative Deadline"). The Administrative Expense Requests may **not** be delivered by facsimile, telecopy,

or electronic mail transmission; provided, however, they may be submitted through Prime Clerk's website: <https://cases.primeclerk.com/puertorico/EPOC-Index>.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that, if you are required to file an Administrative Expense Request pursuant to Section 1.51 and Article III of the Plan and decretal paragraph 44 of the Confirmation Order and fail to do so by the Administrative Deadline, you will be forever barred, estopped, and enjoined from asserting such Administrative Expense Claim (and from filing an Administrative Expense Request with respect to such Administrative Expense Claim) against the Debtors and their property, and the Debtors and Reorganized Debtors will be forever discharged from any and all indebtedness or liability with respect to such Administrative Expense Claim.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that, pursuant to Section 76.6 of the Plan and decretal paragraph 31 of the Confirmation Order, if the rejection of an Executory Contract and Unexpired Lease by the Debtors results in damages to the other party or parties to such contract or lease, any claim for such damages, if not heretofore evidenced by a filed proof of Claim, shall be forever barred and shall not be enforceable against the Debtors, or their properties or agents, successors, or assigns, including, without limitation, the Reorganized Debtors, unless a proof of Claim is filed with the Court on or before thirty (30) days after the later to occur of (i) the Effective Date, and (ii) the date of entry of an order by the Court authorizing rejection of a particular Executory Contract and Unexpired Lease.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the Confirmation Order is a full, final, and complete order, intended to be, conclusive and binding upon all parties in interest, is not intended to be subject to collateral attack in any other forum, and may only be challenged in accordance with applicable rules in the Court and appealed as provided in PROMESA and other applicable federal laws, rules and jurisprudence, by (i) the Debtors, (ii) the Reorganized Debtors, (iii) the Commonwealth and its instrumentalities, (iv) each Entity asserting claims or other rights against the Commonwealth or any other Commonwealth instrumentality, including each holder of a bond claim and each holder of a beneficial interest (directly or indirectly, as principal, agent, counterpart, subrogee, insurer or otherwise) in respect of bonds issued by the Debtors or any Commonwealth agency or with respect to any trustee, any collateral agent, any indenture trustee, any fiscal agent, and any bank that receives or holds funds related to such bonds, whether or not such claim or other rights of such Entity are impaired pursuant to the Plan and, if impaired, whether or not such Entity accepted the Plan, (v) any other Entity, and (vi) each of the foregoing's respective heirs, successors, assigns, trustees, executors, administrators, officers, directors, agents, representatives, attorneys, beneficiaries or guardians; provided, however, that the compromises and settlements set forth in the Plan and the Confirmation Order with respect to the priority of the New GO Bonds and the CVIs under PROMESA, the Commonwealth Constitution, or other applicable law shall not be binding on any party in interest (including any successor to the Oversight Board) in a subsequent Title III (or other insolvency) proceeding.

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